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### FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Add MOYLAN	Iress of Reporting JAMES E JI		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CIENA CORP</u> [ CIEN ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify				
(Last) C/O CIENA C 7035 RIDGE I	(First) CORPORATIOI RD.	(Middle) <mark>N</mark>	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/30/2021	SVP Finance, CFO				
(Street) HANOVER (City)	eet) ANOVER MD 21076-14		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</li> <li>X Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> <li>Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</li> </ul>				
		Table I - Non-Deriv	vative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Ben	eficially Owned				

### Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Stock	09/30/2021		S		2,000 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	<b>\$51.6</b>	319,048 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	

# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

De Se	Title of erivative ecurity Istr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Sales were effected pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 trading plan dated 4/13/2021.

2. Shares reported include unvested Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) and Performance Stock Units (PSUs).

#### By: Michelle Rankin For: James E. Moylan Jr.

09/30/2021

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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